Yuma Parks & Recreation

CREATING COMMUNITY THROUGH PEOPLE, PARKS, AND PROGRAMS

Camp Inferno

CAMP INFERNO is an adventure immersion program allowing participants to experience a day in the life of elite women in fire and life-safety services. For the past five years, the Fire Department has been a host of this program. Every year, we make changes to the Camp which will provide new experiences to the young ladies attending. This year, the Fire Department is partnering with Yuma Parks and Recreation in an effort to obtain more community participation.

The goal of the program remains the same as we strive to provide an opportunity for young ladies to challenge themselves not only physically, but also mentally, in real-life firefighting tasks. Among the activities to be experienced at Camp Inferno will be participation in putting out a controlled burn, using a fire extinguisher properly, repelling and receiving instruction on Hands Only-CPR. In addition, participants will have an opportunity to talk with public safety career females about their non-traditional profession for women.

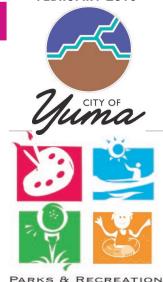
Open to all GIRLS, ages 14 to 18. Download a registration packet online at yumaaz.gov/parksandrec. Limited space available. Contact Marilyn Lammel, Recreation Program Supervisor at 373-5200 Ruth Gloria, Fire Admin at 373-4853 for more information.

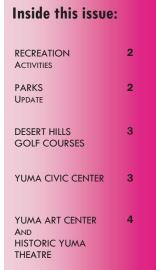
Camp Orientation / Meet & Greet / Uniform Fitting Friday, February 26, 2016, 6:00 pm Yuma Fire Department Public Safety Training Facility 3575 S. Ave 4E CAMP INFERNO Saturday, February 27, 2016 8:00 am (sharp) – 5:30 pm Yuma Fire Department Public Safety Training Facility 3575 S. Ave 4E

Registration includes lunch, dinner, snacks and a Camp Inferno tee shirt.



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Look for our NEW eNewsletter coming to your inbox each month!

Recreation Featured Activities



Mermaid Tails & Tales

Go overboard in love for all things mermaid! Listen to our mermaid friend Orchid tell tales of the sea and with help from an adult, put together a mermaid fin.

Date: Saturday, Feb. 6 Time: 1:30 pm – 4:00 pm Location: Clymer Recreation

Center

Ages: 6-14 and parent/

guardian

Fee: \$10 per participant

"Fantastic" February Canoe Trip

Let's explore the lower Colorado!

Bring your binoculars and a lunch. This is a special 4 hour float which puts in at the "Bruce Church" access.

Date: Saturday, Feb. 6

Time: 9:00 am

Location: Gateway Park Ages: 6 and up, parents/ guardian must stay with

children under 16

Fee: \$30 per participant

Ocean Commotion

Tots will have story time featuring Rainbow Fish by Pfister and discover an ocean in a bag aquarium.

Date: Saturday, Feb. 6
Time: 9:30 am – 11:00 am
Location: Clymer Recreation

Center

Ages: 21/2-4 Fee: \$10 per child











Register online at yumaaz.gov/parksandrec



PARK MAINTENANCE - DOG PARK

Your dog needs playtime, exercise, and to socialize with other dogs. Our Bark Park is the perfect place to do just that! The Bark Park located at 1705 E. Palo Verde is open from dawn til dusk, seven days a week, and only closes for a short time on Tuesday mornings for maintenance.

We love providing a play space for your furry friends, however, we need your help to keep the park in tip top shape! Please remember to observe all of the park's rules. If your pup is on the aggressive side, we kindly ask that you do not bring he/she to the park. This makes for an uncomfortable situation with other dogs and their people. We also ask that you remember to 'scoop the poop'! It is common courtesy to pick up after your pet.

This 3.35 acre dog park features a double gated entry, benches, shaded areas, a water fountain and waste disposal stations. Dogs must be healthy, sociable, current on all vaccinations, licensed with tags on collar, and under their owner's control at all times. Owner must keep them leashed when not in designated off-leash areas.

A lot of what determines whether you hit a good or bad shot happens at address. The simplest thing is ball position. If you get the ball in the right spot, good things tend to fall into place.

I like keeping the ball in the same position for all clubs on standard full shots. Start with the driver: Play it in line with your shirt logo, and drop your right foot away from the target in a wide stance. This sets up an upward strike.

For a middle iron, don't move your right foot out as wide and keep the ball in the same place relative to your front foot. This narrower stance puts you more on top of the ball so you can hit down on it.

When you get to the wedges, the stance is the narrowest and you even lean a bit toward the target at address. From there, you can really hit down and rip a divot after impact.

In short, it's about how wide the right foot goes. That sets the relationship of the body to the ball—but the ball doesn't move.

Written by: Butch Harmon

UPCOMING EVENTS

Family Golf "Play the Par-3"

Date: Sunday, Feb. 7 Time: 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm Desert Hills Par-3 Ages: 7 and up

Fee: Adults \$10/Children

\$5

SNAG Golf Clinic

Date: Sunday, Feb. 21 Time: 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm Desert Hills Par-3

Ages: 7 - 10

Fee: \$5 per participant

FootGolf Tournament

Date: Sunday, Feb. 21 Time: 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Desert Hills Par-3 Ages: 9 and up

Fee: \$15 per participant



Yuma Civic Center

1440 W. Desert Hills Drive | 928-373-5040 | yumaaz.gov/parksandrec



Yuma Storm Football 'Home' Games

Support local sports by heading to the Desert Sun Stadium this season! Previously named the 'SunDevils', the Yuma Storm Football team kicks off their season against the Tri City Roadrunners.

Date: February - April, **Location:** Desert Sun

Stadium

Admission Details: yumastormfootball.com

66th Annual Yuma **Square & Round Dance Festival**

Date: Feb. 12, 13, 14, 2016 **Time:** Varies by activity Location: Yuma Civic

Center

Fee: \$40/person Workshops: \$10/person Friday or Saturday evening dances: \$15 More information email: denmare.mary@gmail.com

Sons of Norway 14th **Annual Scandinavian Festival**

Opening parade & ceremonies -10:30 am. Event raises funds for Gadsden Marching Band.

Date: Sat., Feb. 20, 2016 **Time:** 9:00 am - 3:00 pm Location: Civic Center Admission: At Door \$4.00



Biblical Treasures of Turkey

February 9, 2016 Sea to Sea in a Model T March 8, 2016

Time: All show times begin

at 7:00 pm

Location: Yuma Civic Center. Box office opens at 6:00 pm

Ages: All ages Tickets: \$10

LOOK AHEAD

3/4-6

Caballeros de Yuma Midnight at the Oasis

3/8

2016 World Adventurers Wings Across the Catalina Channel

3/11

CASA's Tribute to Elvis Concert

3/12

Yuma Storm Football (Desert Sun Stadium)

3/15

2016 World Adventurers The Real World of New Zealand

3/18-20 **AEA Car Show**



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Yuma Symposium

The annual Yuma Symposium will take place this year on Thursday, Friday and Saturday the February 25th, 26th and 27th. There will be an eclectic exhibit of professional and student art works from across the country, presentations on a variety of art mediums and a gathering of art lovers of all interests and levels. If art is your passion, the Yuma Art Center is the place to be this weekend. For more information or to register just go online to www.yumaartsymposium.org.

KAWC presents Teada!

Public radio FM 88.9 KAWC helps to celebrate 100 years of Irish music by presenting Teada as part of its Re-Awakening Tour on Sunday the February 28th at 2 pm. With a show encompassing music, song and dance enhanced with video imagery this troupe will have you celebrating all things Irish! Tickets are available for \$25 online or at any of our ticketing outlets.

Historic Yuma Theatre



February is a busy month in the Historic Yuma Theatre! We truly have something for everyone in this month's selections!

On Tuesday the 2nd the "British Invasion" starts us off with songs from the Rolling Stones, The Animals and more greats from across the pond. Tickets are on sale for \$25 and show-time is 7pm.

This months edition of Thursdays at the Theatre brings us "Breathe", a coming-of-age drama from France. Showtime is Thursday the 4th at 7pm and tickets are \$5 general admission or \$2.50 with a valid AWC/NAU student ID.

Corrie Sachs is **"Reba"**, come celebrate the music of this country superstar on Friday the 5th at 7pm. Tickets are available for \$25.

Saturday the 6th Saddles of Joy is hosting a fundraiser and screening the "Caravan" Film. Showtime is at 7pm and all proceeds go to benefit rescued horses cared for by the organization.

An Eagles tribute, "One of These Nights" takes to the stage Thursday the 11th at 7pm. Sing along to the timeless classics from the legendary

band. Tickets are on sale for \$25.

The Yuma Orchestra presents their annual "Romantic Classics" Saturday the 13th at 7pm. Tickets are \$10 GA, \$5 students, seniors and military, children 12 and under are free.

"My Funny Valentine", a tribute to the music and musicals of Richard Rogers hits the stage Tuesday the 16th at 7pm. Tickets available for \$25.

Featuring the look and sound of the great Neil Diamond, "Diamond in the Rough" takes to the stage Wednesday the 17th at 7pm. Tickets are \$25 for this great tribute show!

Bringing the New Orleans feel to Yuma, the "Dukes of Dixieland" will help you experience what jazz is all about. The show is Thursday the 18th at 7pm and tickets are \$25.

Paying tribute to some great opera singers like Pavarotti, "The 3 International Tenors" will captivate Yuma audiences on Friday the 19th at 7pm. Tickets are only \$25.

Finally, "Whole Lotta Shakin" will feature that piano-pumpin' rockaboogie sound on Tuesday the 23rd at 7pm. Dance along to these pianodriven classics. Tickets on sale for only \$25.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday, March 1
Flash Cadillac

Friday, March 4
The Tokens

Tuesday, March 8
Ballroom Blitz!

Thursday, March 10
The Paperback Writer
"The Ultimate Beatles Experience"

Friday, March 11
The Broadway Concert Experience

Wednesday, March 16
The Four Freshman



Thursday, February 11, 7pm One Of These Nights – The Eagles Tribute Concert



Wednesday, Feb 17, at 7pm

Diamond In The Rough –

The Neil Diamond Tribute Concert

"Life is a blank canvas, and you need to throw all the paint on it you can." – Danny Kaye –